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## STEP ONE



Thread a needle with double thread and knot the ends together. Make a mark where the button needs to go.

## STEP TWO



Pass the needle from under the fabric to the right side and through one of the holes. Repeat two or three times to make a firm fixing.

## STEP THREE



Pass the needle down through the hole to the underside of the button and wind the thread tightly around the threads under the button to form the shank (this is for making a bit of space between the fabric and the button).

## STEP FOUR

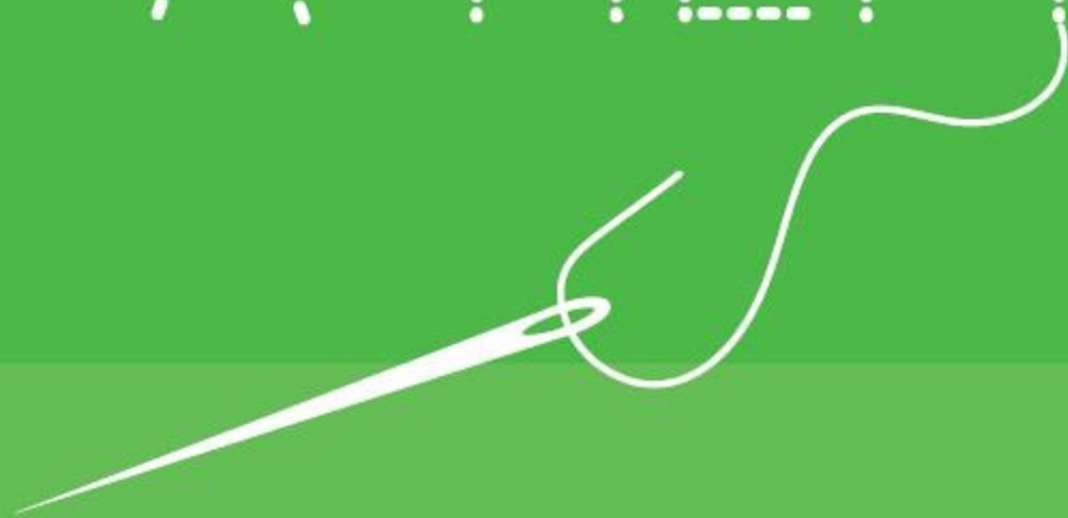


Pass the needle down through to the underside of the garment and finish with two small stitches on top of each other. Easy peasy.

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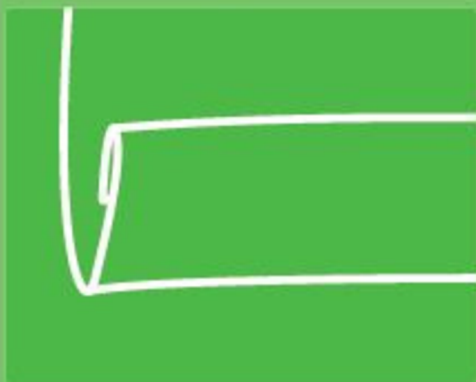


# HOW TO FIX A HEM



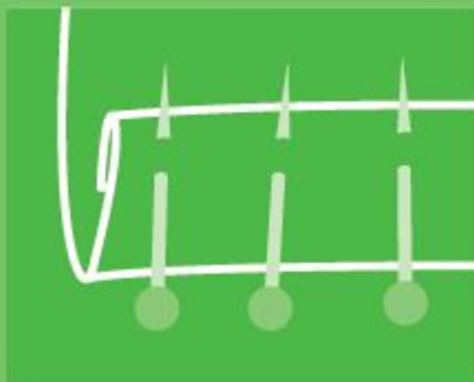
# HOW TO FIX A HEM

## STEP ONE



Turn your garment inside out and trim any loose threads. Refold the hem as shown, so that the raw edge of the fabric is completely encased within the fold.

## STEP TWO



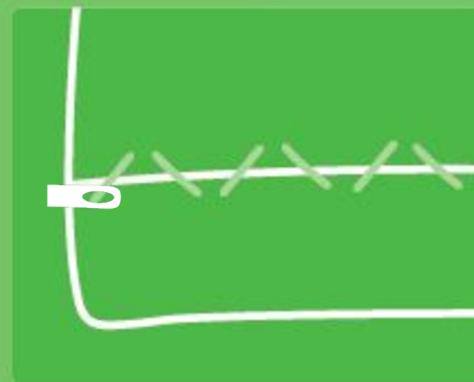
Press the edge of the fold with an iron to create a hard crease; pin in place. Starting about ½ inch before the torn stitches (working from right to left), use the slip stitch.

## STEP THREE



Pull the needle through the inside of the hem fold. Bring the needle up and slip it into the main fabric of the garment so it picks up one or two threads; do not poke through to the right side of the fabric.

## STEP FOUR



Insert the needle about ¼ inch to the left through the crease of the hem fold. Bring the needle back up through the hem crease. Continue until you are ½ inch beyond the torn stitches. Finish with a short backstitch.

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## Washing and bleaching



95° boil wash



70° boil wash



60° coloured wash



60° 'easy care' coloured wash



40° coloured wash



40° mild wash



30° fine wash



30° mild fine wash



30° very mild fine wash



Hand wash



Do not bleach

## Drying and ironing



Normal drying process



Mild drying process



Do not tumble dry



Line drying



Flat drying



Hot iron



Iron at moderate temperature



Iron at low temperature



Do not iron

## Professional cleaning



Normal professional dry cleaning process – perchloroethylene & hydrocarbons



Do not dry clean

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